

FY-1998 Fisheries
Paul Cowley

Salt Lake:

1. Instream flows guaranteed for Big Cottonwood Creek above Stairs Power Plan (approximately 1 mile). This was done through cooperation with Pacific-corp.
2. Input provided on the Alta, Snowbird, Brighton, and Solitude EISs.
3. Aquatic insect survey work dealing with abandon mines in Little Cottonwood Creek completed. Assisted in acquiring the money for this project (\$55,000)
4. Electrofishing conducted for Snowbird and Brighton EIS work.
5. Input provided for the White Pine Bridge, the cross country ski trail in Mill Creek and the Mill Creek work.
6. Stream alteration permits acquired for White Pine Bridge and Mill Creek work.

Kamas:

1. Instream work done on Provo River to protect campgrounds.
2. Input provided for the Wall Lake EA.

Evanston:

1. Additional survey work completed in the Mill Creek Drainage.
2. Project support work on the North Slope River to reduce road width.

Mt. View: Covered by Steve Phillips.

1. 52 miles of stream survey work completed.

Ogden:

1. Assisted in review of the South Fork Ogden River Campgrounds
2. Reviewed land exchange parcels
3. Field assisted installation of instream bank protection structures.
4. Assisted in boulder relocation in campgrounds (1 accident)
5. Water quality sampling in Wheeler Creek
6. Aspen burning units survey developed and field surveys initiated.

Logan:

1. Assisted in bank protection work at Birch Glen
2. Assisted in obtaining money for Temple Fork Road (\$130,000). Assisted with on the ground activities.
3. Water quality monitoring for the Logan Canyon Highway.
4. Spawning surveys for cutthroat in the upper Logan.

Forest Wide Activities:

1. With Logan District Help: Forest Fishery Library updated.
2. Forest Wide maps on INFISH buffers identified. Next step will be to get these into GIS.
3. Responded to three FOIA's
4. Completed AMS for the Uinta.
5. Responded to MAR report and Fish Wildlife and Rare Plant Report
6. 1987 survey report putout
7. Support given to Red Butte issues.
8. Office move

Forest Budget Enhancement Projects

1. Birch Glen (\$5,000)
2. Move Coordination (estimated savings ~\$15,000)
3. Cutthroat Genetic Sample Analysis (\$23,000)
4. Little Cottonwood Creek (\$55,000)
5. Temple Fork Road Relocation (\$130,000)

Training and Skills developed

1. Front end loader
2. GPS operation
3. Digital Camera Operation
4. Freelance graphics software